

L1.3 - Rates & Proportions

- ① Convert 22 miles in 30 minutes to miles per hour.

$$\frac{22 \text{ miles}}{30 \text{ min}} \times \frac{60 \text{ min}}{1 \text{ hr}}$$

* trying to cancel minutes so they go opposite (on top of new ratio).

$$* 60 \text{ min} = 1 \text{ hr}$$

$$\frac{22 \times 60 \text{ mi}}{30 \times 1 \text{ hr}} = \frac{1320 \text{ mi}}{30 \text{ hr}} = \boxed{\frac{44 \text{ mi}}{1 \text{ hr}}}$$

- ② Convert 300 yd in 30 sec to miles per hour.

$$\frac{300 \text{ yd}}{30 \text{ sec}} \times \frac{3600 \text{ sec}}{1 \text{ hr}}$$

* trying to cancel sec so they go on top.
 $3600 \text{ sec} = 1 \text{ hr}$

$$\frac{300 \times 3600 \text{ yd}}{30 \times 1 \text{ hr}} = \frac{1,080,000}{30} = \frac{36,000 \text{ yd}}{1 \text{ hr}}$$

$$\frac{36,000 \text{ yd}}{1 \text{ hr}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mi}}{1760 \text{ yd}}$$

* trying to cancel yards so they go in the bottom
 $1760 \text{ yd} = 1 \text{ mi}$

$$\frac{36,000 \times 1 \text{ mi}}{1 \times 1760 \text{ hr}} = \frac{36,000 \text{ mi}}{1760 \text{ hr}} = \boxed{\frac{20.45 \text{ mi}}{1 \text{ hr}}}$$

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§1.5 - Using Proportions to Solve problems

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \frac{24 \text{ tagged}}{8 \text{ observed}} \propto \frac{p \text{ tagged}}{80 \text{ observed}}$$

$$8 \cdot p = 24 \cdot 80$$

Cross-multiply

$$\frac{a}{b} \propto \frac{c}{d}$$

multiply
solve by dividing

$$\frac{8p}{8} = \frac{1920}{8}$$

$$p = 240 \text{ tagged}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \frac{3 \text{ bars}}{420 \text{ calories}} \propto \frac{x \text{ bars}}{140 \text{ calories}}$$

$$420 \cdot x = 3 \cdot 140$$

cross multiply

$$\frac{420x}{420} = \frac{420}{420}$$

multiply
solve by dividing

$$x = 1 \text{ bar}$$

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- (3) 8 correct : 15 questions = 24 correct : Q questions

$$\frac{8 \text{ correct}}{15 \text{ questions}} = \frac{24 \text{ correct}}{Q \text{ questions}}$$

$$8 \cdot Q = 15 \cdot 24$$

Cross multiply

$$\frac{8Q}{8} = \frac{360}{8}$$

multiply

$$Q = 45 \text{ questions}$$

divide to solve

- (4) $\frac{d \text{ dollars}}{5 \text{ miles}} = \frac{\$9}{7.5 \text{ miles}}$

$$7.5 \cdot d = 5 \cdot 9$$

Cross multiply

$$\frac{7.5d}{7.5} = \frac{45}{7.5}$$

multiply

$$d = \$6$$

divide to solve